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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examining this application, please amend the application as follows:

**In the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph on page 23, lines 2 to 4 with the following new paragraph:

-- Hair dyeing agents according to the invention were in the form of a hair dyeing cream emulsion of the composition given in Table 1. --

**In the Claims**

Please cancel Claim 1, without prejudice.